

Computer Laboratory - lab sheet 11

Task 1 Copy the program given below. Save (as `atom.cpp`), compile and run it.

```
#include <iostream>
#include <fstream>
#include <string>
using namespace std;

class Atom{
public:
    int Z;
    double mass;
    string symbol;
};

void printAtom(Atom x){
    cout << "Symbol = " << x.symbol << endl
         << "Z = " << x.Z << endl
         << "Mass = " << x.mass << "\n\n";
}

int main () {
    const int n = 10; // read 10 atom data
    Atom a[n];

    ifstream myfile("periodic.table");
    for (int i=0; i<n; i++){
        myfile >> a[i].Z >> a[i].symbol >> a[i].mass;
    }
    myfile.close();

    printAtom( a[8] );
}
```

File: periodic.table

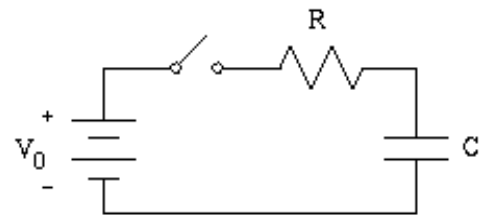
2	He	4.004
3	Li	6.941
4	Be	9.012
5	B	10.811
6	C	12.011
7	N	14.007
8	O	15.999
9	F	18.999
11	Na	22.990
12	Mg	24.305

Task 2

Implement a `RCcircuit` class.

Each object of this class will represent a simple charging RC circuit given right. The class must include

- a default constructor function whose prototype is `RCcircuit(double R, double C, double V0);` to set (initialize) the values of resistance, capacitor and the DC voltage source.
- a member function named `double current(double t)` that returns the current in the circuit at given time $t > 0$.
- a member function named `double VC(double t)` that returns potential across the capacitor at given time $t > 0$.
- a member function named `double VR(double t)` potential across the capacitor at given time $t > 0$.
- a member function `double tau()` that returns the time constant of the circuit defined by $\tau = RC$.



Here is an example usage of the `RCcircuit` class in a main program

```
int main(){
    RCcircuit devre(2.2e+6, 1.0e-6, 12.0);
    double time = 0.0;

    cout << "time constant: " << devre.tau() << endl;

    do{
        cout << time
             << devre.current(time) << " "
             << devre.VC(time) << " "
             << devre.VR(time) << endl;
        time += 0.1;
    }while(time < 5*devre.tau());
}
```